

boulevard lying between Thirteenth and Fourteenth Avenues, city of San Francisco, are reserved to the War Department:

Beginning at a concrete monument on the southern boundary of the Presidio Military Reservation, which monument is three hundred and ninety-six feet south 76 degrees west from a point which is one hundred and fifty-one and fourteen one-hundredths feet north of the monument marking the west end of the course on the southern boundary of said reservation described in General Orders 189, War Department, 1907, as bearing south 76 degrees 20 minutes 40 seconds, west one hundred and ten and ninety-six one-hundredths chains; thence north 19 degrees 31 minutes, east two hundred and twenty-one and four-tenths feet; thence north 27 degrees 26 minutes, east one hundred and seventy-four feet; thence north 42 degrees 45 minutes, east sixty-nine feet; thence north 5 degrees 6 minutes, west two hundred and four and six-tenths feet; thence north 10 degrees 12 minutes, east one hundred and seventy and five-tenths feet; thence north 23 degrees 52 minutes, east one hundred and eighty-five feet; thence north 70 degrees 7 minutes, west three hundred and eight feet; thence north 1 degree 38 minutes, east two hundred and twenty-five feet; thence north 53 degrees 57 minutes, west two hundred and nine feet; thence south 81 degrees, west two hundred and sixty-four feet; thence south 59 degrees, west seven hundred and seventeen and two-tenths feet; thence in a southerly direction one thousand and thirty feet, more or less, to the point of intersection of the west line of Sixteenth Avenue, San Francisco, California, and the southern boundary of the reservation of the Presidio of San Francisco, California; thence in an easterly direction by courses and distances, following the southern boundary of said reservation, to the point or place of beginning.

Provided further, That whenever this property ceases to be used for marine hospital purposes, title to same shall revert to the War Department.

Reversion when marine hospital use ceases.

Approved, March 3, 1927.

CHAP. 342.—An Act To extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Ohio River at Louisville, Kentucky, and to repeal certain former bridge laws.

March 3, 1927.
[S. 5083.]

[Public, No. 745.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the times for commencing and completing the construction of the bridge authorized by the Act entitled "An Act granting the consent of Congress to the city of Louisville, Kentucky, to construct a bridge across the Ohio River at or near said city," approved April 2, 1926, are hereby extended one and three years, respectively, from April 2, 1927.

Ohio River.
Time extended for bridging, by Louisville, Ky.
Ante, p. 232, amended.

SEC. 2. That the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to authorize the construction of bridges across the Ohio River and to prescribe the dimensions of the same," approved December 17, 1872, and the Act supplementary thereto, approved February 14, 1883, are hereby repealed.

Former laws repealed.
Vol. 17, p. 398; Vol. 22, p. 414.

Approved, March 3, 1927.

CHAP. 343.—An Act To prohibit the sale of black bass in the District of Columbia.

March 3, 1927.
[S. 5266.]

[Public, No. 746.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the word "person" when used in this Act shall include any company, partnership, corporation, or association.

District of Columbia.
"Person" construed.

Black bass.
Sale of, unlawful.

SEC. 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to offer for sale or to sell within the District of Columbia, either large-mouth or small-mouth black bass.

Punishment for violations.

SEC. 3. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall, upon conviction thereon, be punished by a fine not exceeding \$100, or by imprisonment for a term of not more than three months, or by both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court.

Effective immediately.

SEC. 4. This Act shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval.

Approved, March 3, 1927.

March 3, 1927.
[S. 5352.]

[Public, No. 747.]

CHAP. 344.—An Act To provide for one additional district judge for the eastern district of Michigan.

Michigan eastern judicial district.
Additional judge authorized for.
Vol. 36, p. 1087, amended.
Vol. 42, p. 838.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized to appoint, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, one district judge for the eastern district of Michigan in addition to those now authorized by law. He shall be entitled to receive the same salary, payable in the same manner, as is now provided for district judges in said district. This additional district judge shall reside within said district and shall be subject to the general provisions of law relating to district judges of the United States.

Approved, March 3, 1927.

March 3, 1927.
[S. 5402.]

[Public, No. 748.]

CHAP. 345.—An Act To amend the Act entitled "An Act to provide more effectively for the national defense by increasing the efficiency of Air Corps of the Army of the United States, and for other purposes," approved July 2, 1926.

Air Corps, Army.
Act, p. 788, amended.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the second sentence of subdivision (r) of section 10 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide more effectively for the national defense by increasing the efficiency of the Air Corps of the Army of the United States, and for other purposes," approved July 2, 1926, is amended so as to compose three sentences to read as follows:

Patents and design board.
Designs may be submitted to.

"Any individual, firm, or corporation may submit to the board for its action any design, whether patented or unpatented, for aircraft, aircraft parts, or aeronautical accessories. The board shall refer any design so submitted to the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics for its recommendation. If and when the committee makes a favorable recommendation to the board in respect of the design, the board shall then proceed to determine whether the use of the design by the Government is desirable or necessary and evaluate the design and fix its worth to the United States in an amount not to exceed \$75,000."

Reference to Advisory Committee on Aeronautics.
Determination of board if recommendation favorable.

Approved, March 3, 1927.

March 3, 1927.
[H. R. 13477.]

[Public, No. 749.]

CHAP. 346.—An Act To amend the Act entitled "An Act to amend the Act entitled 'An Act for the retirement of employees in the classified civil service, and for other purposes,' approved May 22, 1920, and Acts in amendment 'hereof,' approved July 3, 1926, and for other purposes.

Retirement of civil service employees.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Act entitled "An Act to amend the Act entitled 'An Act for the retirement of employees in the classified civil service, and for other purposes,'